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iPath[®] S&P GSCI[®] Crude Oil Total Return Index ETN

Note Description

The iPath[®] S&P GSCI[®] Crude Oil Total Return Index ETN is designed to provide investors with exposure to the S&P GSCI[®] Crude Oil Total Return Index.

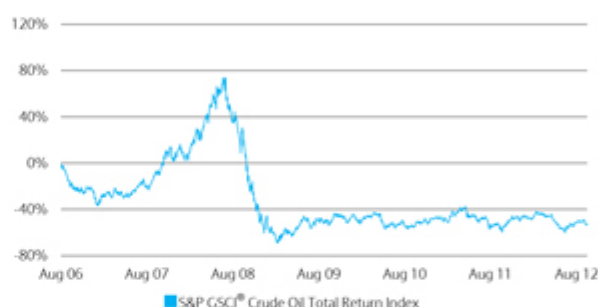
Index Description

The S&P GSCI[®] Crude Oil Total Return Index (the "Index") is a sub-index of the S&P GSCI[®] Commodity Index. The Index reflects the returns that are potentially available through an unleveraged investment in the West Texas Intermediate (WTI) crude oil futures contract.

Note Details

Ticker	OIL
Intraday Indicative Value Ticker	OIL.V
CUSIP	06738C786
ISIN	US06738C7864
Primary exchange	NYSE Arca
Yearly fee ¹	0.75%
Inception date	8/15/2006
Maturity date	8/14/2036
Issuer	Barclays Bank PLC
Callable ETN	No

Cumulative Index Return²



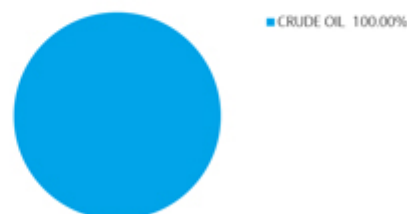
Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices, LLC (based on daily returns 08/06-9/12 since Note inception date).

² Index returns are for illustrative purposes only and do not represent actual iPath ETN performance. Index performance returns do not reflect any management fees, transaction costs or expenses. Indexes are unmanaged and one cannot invest directly in an index. Past performance does not guarantee future results. For current Index and iPath ETN performance, go to www.iPathETN.com.

Index Details

Index name	S&P GSCI [®] Crude Oil Total Return Index
Composition	Futures on crude oil
Number of components	1
Bloomberg index ticker	SPGSC1TR
Inception date	5/1/1991
Base value and date	100 as of 1/02/1970
Index sponsor	S&P Dow Jones Indices, LLC

Index Composition



Source: S&P Dow Jones Indices, LLC, as of 9/30/2012. Index composition is subject to change.

¹ The investor fee is equal to the Yearly Fee times the principal amount of your securities times the index factor, calculated on a daily basis in the following manner: The investor fee on the inception date will equal zero. On each subsequent calendar day until maturity or early redemption, the investor fee will increase by an amount equal to the Yearly Fee times the principal amount of your securities times the index factor on that day (or, if such day is not a trading day, the index factor on the immediately preceding trading day) divided by 365. The index factor on any given day will be equal to the closing value of the index on that day divided by the initial index level. The initial index level is the closing value of the index on the inception date of the securities.

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Annualized Performance, Standard Deviation And Correlation History

	6-month Return %	1-Year Return % Annualized	3-Year Return % Annualized	5-Year Return % Annualized	10-Year Return % Annualized	Standard Deviation % Annualized ³	Index Correlations ⁴
S&P GSCI [®] Crude Oil Total Return Index	-12.50	12.27	-1.36	-12.48	2.03	37.04	1.00
S&P 500 [®]	3.43	30.20	13.20	1.05	8.01	19.13	0.62
MSCI EAFE Index	-0.70	13.75	2.12	-5.24	8.20	23.52	0.62
MSCI Emerging Markets Index SM	-1.84	16.93	5.63	-1.28	17.00	29.55	0.64
Barclays U.S. Aggregate Bond Index	3.68	5.16	6.19	6.53	5.32	3.57	-0.12
Dow Jones-UBS Commodity Index Total Return SM	4.70	5.99	5.26	-3.03	5.20	22.06	0.80

Source: BlackRock, S&P Dow Jones Indices, LLC, MSCI, Barclays and Dow Jones Opco, UBS, as of 9/30/2012.

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³ Standard deviation is a measure of variability from the expected value. Standard Deviation % Annualized is based on monthly returns for 9/07-9/12, and describes how the annual returns in a given annual period are likely to differ from average annualized returns. Because the Standard Deviation % Annualized is based on historical data, it may not predict variability in annualized performance of the ETNs in the future. Source: BlackRock, Barclays

⁴ Correlations based on monthly returns for 9/07-9/12. Correlation is the term used to describe the statistical relationship between two or more quantities or variables. Perfectly correlated assets will have a correlation coefficient of one, while the correlation coefficient will be zero when returns on two assets are completely independent. Source: BlackRock, Barclays

Selected Risk Considerations

An investment in the iPath ETNs described herein (the "ETNs") involves risks. Selected risks are summarized here, but we urge you to read the more detailed explanation of risks described under "Risk Factors" in the applicable prospectus supplement and pricing supplement.

You May Lose Some or All of Your Principal: The ETNs are exposed to any decrease in the level of the underlying index between the inception date and the applicable valuation date. Additionally, if the level of the underlying index is insufficient to offset the negative effect of the investor fee and other applicable costs, you will lose some or all of your investment at maturity or upon redemption, even if the value of such index has increased. Because the ETNs are subject to an investor fee and any other applicable costs, the return on the ETNs will always be lower than the total return on a direct investment in the index components. **The ETNs are riskier than ordinary unsecured debt securities and have no principal protection.**

Credit of Barclays Bank PLC: The ETNs are unsecured debt obligations of the issuer, Barclays Bank PLC, and are not, either directly or indirectly, an obligation of or guaranteed by any third party. Any payment to be made on the ETNs, including any payment at maturity or upon redemption, depends on the ability of Barclays Bank PLC to satisfy its obligations as they come due. As a result, the actual and perceived creditworthiness of Barclays Bank PLC will affect the market value, if any, of the ETNs prior to maturity or redemption. In addition, in the event Barclays Bank PLC were to default on its obligations, you may not receive any amounts owed to you under the terms of the ETNs.

Market and Volatility Risk: The prices of physical commodities, including the commodities underlying the index components, can fluctuate widely due to supply and demand disruptions in major producing or consuming regions. Additionally, the market value of the ETNs may be influenced by many unpredictable factors including changes in supply and demand relationships, governmental policies and economic events.

Concentration Risk: Because the ETNs are linked to an index composed of futures contracts on a single commodity or in only one commodity sector, the ETNs are less diversified than other funds. The ETNs can therefore experience greater volatility than other funds or investments.

A Trading Market for the ETNs May Not Develop: Although the ETNs are listed on NYSE Arca, a trading market for the ETNs may not develop and the liquidity of the ETNs may be limited, as we are not required to maintain any listing of the ETNs.

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Benefits

- May provide portfolio diversification and completion*
- Ability to execute tactical views
- Interest Rate Management
- Hedging Tool
- Exchange listed
- Daily redemption capabilities directly to issuer
- No tracking error to their specified underlying index**

* Diversification does not protect against market risk.

** Excluding fees and applicable costs and applies only to the indicative value, not necessarily to the secondary market price. Tracking error refers to the under/over performance differential of an ETN versus its underlying index over a given time period, after accounting for the ETN's fees and costs. One cannot invest directly in an index.

Risks

- No principal protection
- Credit risk of the issuer
- Concentration of index exposure
- Minimum redemption value directly with issuer
- Market risk
- Yearly fee and applicable costs

No Interest Payments from the ETNs: You may not receive any interest payments on the ETNs.

Restrictions on the Minimum Number of ETNs and Date Restrictions for Redemptions: You must redeem at least 50,000 ETNs of the same series at one time in order to exercise your right to redeem your ETNs on any redemption date. You may only redeem your ETNs on a redemption date if we receive a notice of redemption from you by certain dates and times as set forth in the pricing supplement.

Uncertain Tax Treatment: Significant aspects of the tax treatment of the ETNs are uncertain. You should consult your own tax advisor about your own tax situation.

Barclays Bank PLC has filed a registration statement (including a prospectus) with the SEC for the offering to which this communication relates. Before you invest, you should read the prospectus and other documents Barclays Bank PLC has filed with the SEC for more complete information about the issuer and this offering. You may get these documents for free by visiting www.iPathETN.com or EDGAR on the SEC website at www.sec.gov. Alternatively, Barclays Bank PLC will arrange for Barclays Capital Inc. to send you the prospectus if you request it by calling toll-free 1-877-764-7284, or you may request a copy from any other dealer participating in the offering.

BlackRock Investments, LLC, assists in the promotion of the iPath ETNs.

The ETNs may be sold throughout the day on the exchange through any brokerage account. Commissions may apply and there are tax consequences in the event of sale, redemption or maturity of ETNs.

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